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Fullerton Tax Seminar for Nonprofit and Exempt Organizations

Free Seminar Offers Help from Nonprofit Experts on July 14

Sacramento – Nonprofit managers and others who have questions or would like more information about state tax laws are invited to attend a free tax seminar in Fullerton on Monday, July 14, 2014. California State Board of Equalization (BOE) Vice Chair Michelle Steel, the Fullerton Chamber of Commerce, and California State University-Fullerton are sponsoring this free event.

Representatives from the BOE, Employment Development Department, Franchise Tax Board, and the Office of the California Attorney General will offer informative presentations on sales and use tax for nonprofits, compliance for exempt organizations, employment taxes and nonprofits, property tax exemptions and nonprofits, and regulations of charities.

Event: Free Fullerton Tax Seminar for Nonprofit Organizations

Date: Monday, July 14, 2014

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

(Check-in begins at 8:30 a.m.)

Place: California State University-Fullerton

College of Business and Economics Steven G. Mihaylo Hall, Room 1502

2500 Nutwood Avenue Fullerton, CA 92831

Registration: 1-888-847-9652 or online

Learn more about a variety of other BOE in-person classes and online seminars.

Editor's note: The following PSAs (15-second audio) and (30-second audio) are available for your use.

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Elected to the Board of Equalization in 2006 and re-elected in 2010, Michelle Steel serves as *Southern California's elected taxpayer advocate*. In December 2007, Steel discovered the Board of Equalization had delayed the return of millions of dollars in













security deposits owed to California businesses. Procedures were changed due to Steel's decisive leadership. Following her investigation, the tax agency refunded tax security deposits to over 5,500 small businesses. To date, over \$100 million in security deposits have been returned to taxpayers.

The five-member California State Board of Equalization (BOE) is a publicly elected tax board. The BOE collects \$56 billion annually in taxes and fees supporting state and local government services. It hears business tax appeals, acts as the appellate body for franchise and personal income tax appeals, and serves a significant role in the assessment and administration of property taxes. For more information on other taxes and fees in California, visit www.taxes.ca.gov.

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